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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re application of

Docket No: Q79426

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Appln. No.: 10/759,529

Group Art Unit: 1761

Confirmation No.: 7099

Examiner: Not yet assigned

Filed: January 20, 2004

For: OIL AND FAT FOR PRODUCING CONFECTIONERY, PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME, AND  
PRODUCT USING THE SAME

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION FILED  
UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(B) - FILING DATE GRANTED**

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Sir:

In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application filed under 37 CFR 1.53(b)  
- Filing Date Granted," for the above application, Applicant respectfully submits herewith a copy of the Declaration  
and a copy of the Assignment for the above identified application properly executed by the inventors.

A check for the statutory fee of \$130.00 is attached. Also, the required application fee of \$770.00 and  
additional claim fees of \$262 (in the form of a check for \$1032) is also attached. The USPTO is directed and  
authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-  
4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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02 FC:1051	130.00 OP
03 FC:1201	172.00 OP
04 FC:1202	90.00 OP

*Filing Date Granted***Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).*
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Additional claim fees of \$262 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$1162** for a Large Entity


- **\$770** Statutory basic filing fee.
- **\$130** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

- \$172 for 2 independent claims over 3.
- \$90 for 5 total claims over 20.

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*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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